

**GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT**

T.S. Judicial Services – Revision of Pay Scales of State Judicial Service Officers - Recommendations of the Second National Judicial Pay Commission - Orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 27.07.2022 in W.P.(Civil) No.643 of 2015 – Implementation of the recommendations – Orders – Issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (J&RA) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.111.

Dated:22.10.2022

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No. 73, Law (LA&J-SC.F) Department, Dated: 01.05.2010.
2. G.O.Ms.No.31, Law (LA&J.Spl.B) Department, Dated: 30.05.2018.
3. Orders of Supreme Court of India, dated 27.07.2022 in WP (C) No.643 of 2015 filed by All India Judges Association.
4. Govt. Letter No.70/J&RA/2022-1, GA(J&RA) Department, Dt.30.07.2022.
5. Govt. Letter No.70/J&RA/2022-1, GA(J&RA) Department, Dt.18.08.2022.
6. From the Registrar General FAC, Registrar (Admn), High Court for the State of Telangana, ROC No.666/2018-B1, Dated: 18.08.2022.
7. From the Registrar General FAC, Registrar (Admn), High Court for the State of Telangana, ROC No.666/2018-B1, Dated: 20.08.2022.

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ORDER :-

Orders were issued in the G.O. first read above for revision of the pay scales of Judicial Officers as per the recommendations of the First National Judicial Pay Commission.

2. In the G.O. 2nd read above, orders were issued for payment of Interim Relief to Judicial Officers as recommended by the Second National Judicial Pay Commission, pending revision of Pay structure of the Judicial Officers.

3. The Second National Judicial Pay Commission has drawn up and recommended a distinct judicial pay matrix for the Judicial Officers constituting the subordinate Judiciary.

4. The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in their orders dated 27.07.2022 in W.P. (Civil) No.643 of 2015 filed by All India Judges' Association, directed revision of pay structure of Judicial Officers as recommended by the Second National Judicial Pay Commission, with effect from 01.01.2016, with a further direction that the arrears shall be computed with effect from 01.01.2016 and after adjusting the interim relief already paid, the balance amount shall be paid in stages in the following manner:

- i. 25% in cash within a period of 3 months;
- ii. another 25% to be paid in cash within 3 months thereafter;
- iii. the balance 50% has to be paid on or before the end of June, 2023.

5. The Hon'ble Supreme Court further directed that, in case the arrears calculated on the basis of the said order are less than the Interim Relief amount already disbursed, no recovery need be affected.

6. Government, after careful consideration of the order of Hon’ble Supreme Court of India dated:27.7.2022 and in pursuance thereof, hereby order to implement the following revised pay scales to the State Judicial Officers as recommended by the Second National Judicial Pay Commission with effect from 01.01.2016.

Table-I

Sl. No.	Civil Judge (Jr.Div.) Entry Level	Civil Judge (Jr.Div) I Stage ACP	Civil Judge (Jr.Div) II Stage ACP / Civil Judge (Sr.Div.) Entry Level	Civil Judge (Sr.Div) I Stage ACP	Civil Judge (Sr.Div) II Stage ACP / District Judges Entry Level	District Judges (Selection Grade)	District Judges (Super Time Scale)
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Existing Pay Scale	27700-44700	33090-45850	39530-54010	43690-56470	51550-63070	57700-70290	70290-76450
Existing Entry Pay	27700	33090	39530	43690	51550	57700	70290
Level	J-1	J-2	J-3	J-4	J-5	J-6	J-7
Year – 1	77840	92960	111000	122700	144840	163030	199100
Year – 2	80180	95750	114330	126380	149190	167920	205070
Year – 3	82590	98620	117760	130170	153670	172960	211220
Year – 4	85070	101580	121290	134080	158280	178150	217560
Year – 5	87620	104630	124930	138100	163030	183490	224100
Year – 6	90250	107770	128680	142240	167920	188990	
Year – 7	92960	111000	132540	146510	172960	194660	
Year – 8	95750	114330	136520	150910	178150	200500	
Year – 9	98620	117760	140620	155440	183490	206510	
Year – 10	101580	121290	144840	160100	188990	212710	
Year – 11	104630	124930	149190	164900	194660	219090	
Year – 12	107770	128680	153670	169850			
Year – 13	111000	132540	158280	174950			
Year – 14	114330	136520	163030	180200			
Year – 15	117760						
Year – 16	121290						
Year – 17	124930						
Year – 18	128680						
Year – 19	132540						
Year – 20	136520						

7. The pay Levels of the Judicial officers will be as under:-

Table-II

Sl.No.	Designation	Pay Level	Minimum and Maximum of Pay Matrix
1	2	3	4
1	Civil Judge (Jr.Div.) Entry Level	J-1	77840-136520
2	Civil Judge (Jr.Div) I Stage ACP	J-2	92960-136520
3	Civil Judge (Jr.Div) II Stage ACP / Civil Judge (Sr.Div.) Entry Level	J-3	111000-163030
4	Civil Judge (Sr.Div) I Stage ACP	J-4	122700-180200

5	Civil Judge (Sr.Div) II Stage ACP / District Judge (Entry Level)	J-5	144840-194660
6	District Judges (Selection Grade)	J-6	163030-219090
7	District Judges (Super Time Scale)	J-7	199100-224100

8. The fitment/migration from existing pay scales to the new pay matrix shall be as under.

TABLE-III (Fitment)

S.No	Existing Pay	Revised Pay
1	27700	77840
2	28470	80180
3	29240	82590
4	30010	85070
5	30780	87620
6	31550	90250
7	32320	92960
8	33090	95750
9	34010	95750
10	34930	98620
11	35850	101580
12	36770	104630
13	37690	107770
14	38610	111000
15	39530	114330
16	40450	114330
17	41530	117760
18	42610	121290
19	43690	124930
20	44770	128680
21	45850	132540
22	46930	132540
23	48010	136520
24	49090	140620
25	50320	144840
26	51550	149190
27	52780	149190
28	54010	153670
29	55240	158280
30	56470	163030
31	57700	163030
32	58930	167920
33	60310	172960
34	61690	178150
35	63070	178150
36	64450	183490
37	65830	188990
38	67210	188990
39	68750	194660
40	70290	199100
41	71830	205070
42	73370	211220
43	74910	217560
44	76450	224100

9. Fixation of pay in the new pay matrix in respect of judicial officers serving on 01.01.2016, as indicated in fitment Table-III above, is broadly based on the following points:-

- i. Multiply the existing pay by the factor of 2.81.
- ii. The figure so arrived at is to be located in Table-I in relation to the Level application to the Officer (i.e., J1, J2 etc).
- iii. Where there is an identical figure available in Table-I at the corresponding stage of the relevant level, the new revised pay shall be fixed at that stage.
- iv. Where there is no identical figure available, the new revised pay has to be fixed at the very next higher stage in that level in Table-I.

10. The Dearness Allowance shall be admissible at the rates applicable to the Central Government employees drawing VII CPC pay scales from time to time. As regards the other allowances, the amounts presently being drawn under the existing FNJC pay scales shall continue to be drawn, pending further orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in that regard and subject to final adjustment.

11. For those who are promoted from the previous level to the next level, or granted financial upgradation/ACP or Selection Grade or Super Time Scale on or after 01-01-2016, the procedure for fixing the pay in the new pay matrix on such promotion / financial upgradation, will be as follows:-

- i. Identify the level and the basic pay in the Table on the date of promotion.
- ii. Add one increment in that level itself in terms of FR-22.
- iii. The figure so arrived at or the next closest figure in the level to which he/she is promoted will be the new pay on promotion.

12. The arrears on accounts of revision of pay scales with effect from 01.01.2016 and on account of the promotions referred to in para (11) supra, shall be paid as per the following schedule ordered by the Hon'ble Supreme Court:

- i. 25% in cash within a period of 3 months;
- ii. another 25% to be paid in cash within 3 months thereafter;
- iii. The balance 50% has to be paid on or before the end of June, 2023.

13. The Registrar General, High Court for the State of Telangana, is requested to take necessary further action in the matter, accordingly.

14. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (HRM.IV) Department vide their U.O.Note.No.1445868-A/258/A1/HRM.IV/2022, Dt: 21.10.2022.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

NANDIKONDA NARSING RAO
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, LA, LA&J

To

The Registrar General / Registrar (Admn),
High Court for the State of Telangana, Hyderabad.
The Assistant Registrar, Supreme Court of India, New Delhi.

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Office of the Resident Commissioner, Telangana Bhavan, New Delhi.
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